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STATEWIDE

SAFESTAT REPORT

Nevada Highway Patrol

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Overview

This report contains the summary of SAFESTAT totals for each of the Field Operations Commands within the Nevada Highway Patrol. For detailed analysis of the statistics and information on each command, refer to the monthly report for the individual command.

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CRASH ANALYSIS AND OVERVIEW

	August 2004	August 2003	% Change	August 2004	% Change
Total Crashes	1375	1512	-9.1%	1504	-8.6%
Property Crashes [including commercial vehicles]	929	1061	-12.4%	1034	-10.2%
Injury Crashes [including commercial vehicles]	428	435	-1.6%	446	-4.0%
Fatal Crashes [including commercial vehicles]	18	16	12.5%	24	-25.0%
DUI Crashes [DUI charged]	87	72	20.8%	61	42.6%
Total persons killed in fatal crashes	20	17	17.6%	24	-16.7%
Total drivers killed without seatbelts	3	5	-40.0%	9	-66.7%
Total passengers killed without seatbelts	6	5	20.0%	0	600.0%
Total drivers killed with seatbelts	3	5	-40.0%	5	-40.0%
Total passengers killed with seatbelts	2	0	200.0%	5	-60.0%
Total persons killed seatbelts not applicable	6	0	600.0%	5	20.0%
Total number of commercial vehicle crashes	68	122	-44.3%	83	-18.1%
Property crashes involving commercial vehicle	55	95	-42.1%	62	-11.3%
Injury crashes involving commercial vehicle	13	23	-43.5%	20	-35.0%
Fatal crashes involving commercial vehicle	0	4	-400.0%	1	-100.0%

Percentage of fatal crashes to total crashes	1.3%
Percentage of DUI crashes to total crashes	6.3%
Percentage of persons killed <i>without</i> seatbelts to total persons killed	45.0%
Percentage of commercial vehicle crashes to total crashes	4.9%

FIELD ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY

[Analysis and review of current reporting period, versus same period in previous fiscal year, versus previous reporting period]

	August 2004	August 2003	% Change	August 2004	% Change
DUI arrests from crashes	87	72	20.8%	61	42.6%
DUI arrests prior to crashes	260	266	-2.3%	227	14.5%
Other Arrests	1464	1358	7.8%	1076	36.1%
Total persons arrested (DUI included)	693	610	13.6%	504	37.5%
Speed violations	6032	7436	-18.9%	6085	-0.9%
Hazardous moving violations	3350	3108	7.8%	2614	28.2%
Occupant restraint violations *	1130	1098	2.9%	1052	7.4%
Total violations** [above violations included]	17739	18266	-2.9%	14784	20.0%
Commercial Enforcement					
Hazardous moving violatons - citations/arrests	87	115	-24.3%	110	-20.9%
Other traffic violations - citations/arrests	119	196	-39.3%	309	-61.5%
Total safety inspections [level 1, 2, 3. 4. & 6]	1828	1475	23.9%	1595	14.6%
Terminal inspections [level 5]	1	3	-66.7%	5	-80.0%
Total safety violations citation	632	840	-24.8%	665	-5.0%
Total safety violations repair order	3861	3711	4.0%	4236	-8.9%
Total vehicles placed "Out of Service"	255	209	22.0%	259	-1.5%
Total drivers placed "Out of Service"	119	93	28.0%	120	-0.8%
Total school buses inspected	413	320	29.1%	688	-40.0%
Total school buses placed "Out of Service"	55	30	83.3%	129	-57.4%
Total trucks weighed	544	564	-3.5%	1993	-72.7%
Total overweight citations	31	51	-39.2%	127	-75.6%
Total dyed fuel inspections	1394	1306	6.7%	1432	-2.7%
Total dyed fuel citations	4	1	300.0%	4	0.0%

^{*} Seat belt and child restraint

^{**} Total violations includes Speed, Hazardous, Occupant restraint, Registration, Drivers License, Insurance and Other categories